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Mr. Stan J. Bugner
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Dear Mr. Bugner:

The Pleading which you filed on behalf of Verizon Information Services has been duly received and assigned Docket No. 2005-221-C. **Please check the enclosed Notice of Filing for accuracy.**

In order to proceed with the processing of this Docket, it will be necessary for you to accomplish the following:

Publish, at your own expense, on or before **August 26, 2005**, the enclosed Notice, in newspapers of general circulation, in the affected areas, one time and provide the undersigned Proof of Publication on or before **September 16, 2005**.

Failure to comply with the above on or before the dates indicated may result in the **DISMISSAL** of your pleading.

In the meantime, should you require additional information, please advise.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure